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| CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE | PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED | | | | |
| PCT/EP2004/007718 13 July 2004 TITLE OF INVENTION: HYDROXY-FUNCTIONAL BINDER COMPONENTS | 23 July 2003 | | | | |
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| APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: Gerhard Reidlinger et al. | | | | | |
| Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/ | US) the following items and other information: | | | | |
| 1. X This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U. | S.C. 371. | | | | |
| 2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a su | ubmission under 35 U.S.C. 371. | | | | |
| 3. x This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 L include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. | J.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must | | | | |
| 4. X The US has been elected (Article 31). | | | | | |
| 5. X A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)) | | | | | |
| a. x is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the Internation | onal Bureau). | | | | |
| b. has been communicated by the International Bureau. | | | | | |
| c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). | | | | | |
| 6. X An English language translation of the International Application as filed (38 | 5 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). | | | | |
| a. x is attached hereto. | | | | | |
| b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). | | | | | |
| 7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Artic | cle 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) | | | | |
| a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the Interna | tional Bureau). | | | | |
| b. have been communicated by the International Bureau. | | | | | |
| c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. | | | | | |
| d. have not been made and will not be made. | | | | | |
| 8. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). | | | | | |
| 9. x An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). | | | | | |
| An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). | | | | | |
| Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included: | | | | | |
| 11. X An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. | | | | | |
| 12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. | | | | | |
| 13. x A preliminary amendment. | | | | | |
| 14. x An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. | | | | | |
| 15. A substitute specification. | | | | | |
| 16. x A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. | | | | | |
| 17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13 <i>ter.</i> 2 and 37 CFR 1.821 – 1.825. | | | | | |
| 18. A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). | | | | | |
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